

Corporation for National and Community Service

Board of Directors

Resolution

WHEREAS, John Bridgeland and Alan Khazei today, in a presentation to the Board of Directors, offered a vision and strategy to reinvigorate the national debate around service and volunteering; and

WHEREAS, there is growing evidence of the power of service to transform those serving and those communities served; and

WHEREAS, leaders of this country in the private sector, in education, in state houses and the Halls of Congress, in philanthropy, and in the media, are recognizing the crucial role service plays in solving critical national and global problems; and

WHEREAS, a ServiceNation Summit is scheduled for September, 2008 to convene local and national leaders to expand opportunities to serve and to debate policy initiatives relating to service and volunteering;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors for the Corporation for National and Community Service commends the conveners of the ServiceNation Summit in bringing together leaders from all walks of American life to focus on lifelong service as a key strategy for building citizenship, addressing our nation's most critical problems, and strengthening the fabric of our nation.